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PROCESS FOR ***ACTINOL*** PRODUCTION FROM TITLE:

KETOISOPHORONE

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AB Disclosed is a process for producing ***actinol*** from ketoisophorone which comprises contacting ketoisophorone with a recombinant microorganism or cell-free extract thereof in a reaction mixture, wherein said recombinant microorganism is obtainable by transforming a host microorganism, e.g. selected from the group consisting of microorganisms of the genera ***Saccharomyces*** Zygosaccharomyces, and Candida, such as commercially available baker's yeast, ***Saccharomyces*** cerevisiae ATCC7754, ***Saccharomyces*** rouxii (Zygosaccharomyces rouxii) HUT7191 (IFO 0494), ***Saccharomyces*** delbrueckii HUIT7116 (***Saccharomyces*** unisporus IFO 0298), ***Saccharomyces*** delbrueckii (Torulaspora delbrueckii) HUT7102, ***Saccharomyces*** willianus HU7106, Zygosaccharomyces bailii ATCC11486, Candida tropicalis IFO 1403, and a mutant thereof, which is capable of reducing ketoisophorone to levodione with a ***levodione*** ***reductase*** gene, e.g. a ***levodione*** ***reductase*** gene derived from a microorganism belonging to the genus Corynebacterium, such as C. aquaticum AKU611 (FERM BP6448) or a mutant thereof, and isolating the produced ***actinol*** from the reaction mixture.

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TITLE: Substrate inhibition and product degradation during the

reduction of 4-oxoisophorone by ***Saccharomyces***

cerevisiae

AUTHOR: Buque-Taboada E M; Straathof A J J (Reprint); Heijnen J J;

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The aromatic diketone 6R-dihydro-oxoisophorone (DOIP) is an important AB intermediate in the synthesis of some naturally occurring carotenoids. Its preparation via the reduction of 4-oxoisophorone (OIP) by baker's yeast has previously been developed to a pilot-scale process. In this

work, the kinetics of substrate inhibition and of product degradation during the reduction of OIP using resting baker's yeast cells as catalyst is studied. Substrate inhibition during the reduction can be described by a non-competitive type of inhibition. Product is degraded to an unwanted by-product 4S,6R- ***actinol*** by baker's yeast. This reaction can very well be described by a second-order rate equation with respect to DOIP concentration, which is an exceptional case for a whole-cell-catalyzed reaction system. (c) 2005 Elsevier Inc. All rights reserved.

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AB A process is provided for producing ***actinol*** from ketoisophorone
   which comprises contacting ketoisophorone with whole cells or a cell free
   ext. of A recombinant microorganism that possesses a ketoisophorone
   reductase and expresses a cloned ***levodione*** ***reductase***
   Suitable recombinant hosts may be selected from the group consisting of
   microorganisms of the genera ***Saccharomyces***, Zygosaccharomyces,
   and Candida. Specifically, com. available baker's yeast,
    ***Saccharomyces*** cerevisiae ATCC 7754, ***Saccharomyces*** rouxii
   (Zygosaccharomyces rouxii) HUT7191 (IFO 0494), ***Saccharomyces***
   delbrueckii HUT 7116 ( ***Saccharomyces*** unisporus IFO 0298),
    ***Saccharomyces*** delbrueckii (Torulaspora delbrueckii) HUT 7102,
    ***Saccharomyces*** willianus HUT 7106, Zygosaccharomyces bailii ATCC
   11486, Candida tropicalis IFO 1403, and a mutants thereof are suitable
   hosts. Addnl. claimed is a ***levodione*** ***reductase*** gene
   derived from a microorganism belonging to the genus Corynebacterium, such
   as C. aquaticum AKU 611 (FERM BP-6448) or a mutant thereof. Thus, when
   cells of ***Saccharomyces*** cerevisiae strain INVSci are incubated
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with 5 g/L ketoisophorone for 17 h, 2.8 g/L levodione is produced along with a trace of (4R,6R)- ***actinol*** and 0.65 g/L (48,6R)-

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***actinol*** . After the same ***Saccharomyces*** cerevisiae strain
  had been transformed with a ***levodione*** ***reductase*** gene
  from Corvnebacterium aquaticum AKU 611, 5 g/L ketoisophorone was reduced
  to 1.72 g/L levodione, 1,60 g/L (4R,6R)- ***actinol***, 0.48 g/L
  (4S,6R)- ***actinol*** and 0,27 g/L S-phorenol ((4S)-4-hydroxy-2,6,6-
  trimethyl-2-Cyclohexen-1-one).
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THE GENUINE ARTICLE: 825RN
TITLE:
               In situ product removal using a crystallization loop in
           asymmetric reduction of 4-oxoisophorone by
             ***Saccharomyces*** cerevisiae
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       In situ product crystallization was investigated for solid product
  crystals that were obtained, during fermentation. The model reaction was
  the asymmetric reduction of 4-oxoisophorone (OIP) using baker's yeast (S.
  cerevisiae) as a biocatalyst. The target product was 6R-dihydro-
  oxoisophorone (DOIP), also known as levodione, a key intermediate in
  carotenoid synthesis. DOIP was-degraded by baker's yeast mainly to
  (4S,6R)- ***actinol***, an unwanted byproduct in the process.
    ***Actinol*** formation reached up to 12.5% of the initial amount of OIP
  in the reactor during a batch process. However, better results were
  obtained when the dissolved DOIP concentration was controlled using an
  integrated fermentation-crystallization process because: (a)
    ***actinol*** formation was reduced to 4%; and (b) DOIP crystal
  formation in the reactor was avoided. DOIP productivity was improved by
  50% and its selectivity was raised from 87% to 96% relative to the batch
  process. In the integrated process, most of the product was recovered as
  pure crystals; this may already minimize, if not eliminate, the need for
  organic solvents, in the final, purification steps. An almost sixfold
  reduction in biocatalyst consumption per kilogram product was achieved,
  which also can contribute to the minimization of waste streams. (C) 2004
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A practical enzymatic synthesis of a doubly chiral key compound, (4R,6R)-4-hydroxy-2,2,6- ***trimethylcyclohexanone***, starting from the readily available 2,6,6-trimethyl-2-cyclohexen-1,4-dione is described. Chirality is first introduced at the C-6 position by a stereoselective enzymatic hydrogenation of the double bond using old yellow enzyme 2 of ***Saccharomyces*** cerevisiae, expressed in Escherichia coli, as a biocatalyst. Thereafter, the carbonyl group at the C-4 position is reduced selectively and stereospecifically by levorlione reductase of Corynebacterium aquaticum M-13, expressed in E. coli, to the corresponding alcohol. Commercially available glucose dehydrogenase was also used for cofactor regeneration in both steps. Using this two-step enzymatic asymmetric reduction system, 9.5 mg of (4R,6R)-4-hydroxy-2,2,6-***trimethylcyclohexanone*** /ml was produced almost stoichiometrically, with 94% enantiomeric excess in the presence of glucose, NAD(+), and glucose dehydrogenase. To our knowledge, this is the first report of the application of S. cerevisiae old yellow enzyme for the production of a useful compound.

L5 ANSWER 6 OF 7 DGENE COPYRIGHT 2007 The Thomson Corp on STN ACCESSION NUMBER: ADN10925 DNA DGENE

TITLE: Producing ***actinol*** by contacting ketoisophorone with recombinant microorganism obtained by transforming host microorganisms of ***Saccharomyces*** genus, which

reduces ketoisophorone to levodione and isolating produced ***actinol*** .

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DESCRIPTION: Corynebacterium aquaticum ***levodione***

reductase gene PCR primer LV-ORF(-).

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The present sequence is that of PCR primer LV-ORF(-). The primer, which includes a PstI site, was used with primer LV-ORF(+) ADN10924 in an example from the invention for the PCR amplification of the coding sequence of the ***levodione*** ***reductase*** gene of Corynebacterium aquaticum AKU611 (FERM BP-6448). The amplified PCR product was used in the construction of an expression vector for ***Saccharomyces*** cerevisiae. Yeast cells were obtained that were capable of producing 3.3 g/l of ***actinol*** (optical purity 8.15%) from 10 g/l of ketoisophorone in a 25 hour reaction. This is an example of the claimed process of the invention in which ***actinol*** is produced from ketoisophorone by contacting ketoisophorone with a recombinant microorganism (or its cell-free extract) obtained by transforming a host ***Saccharomyces***, Zygosaccharomyces or Candida microorganism that is capable of reducing ketoisophorone to levodione with a ***levodione*** ***reductase*** gene. ***Actinol*** is useful for the synthesis of carotenoids such as zeaxanthin.

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TITLE: Producing ****actinol*** by contacting ketoisophorone with recombinant microorganism obtained by transforming host microorganisms of ***Saccharomyces*** genus, which reduces ketoisophorone to levodione and isolating produced

actinol

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